#### Aynor Elementary

516 Jordanville Road Aynor, SC 29511

Grades PK-5 Elementary School

**Enrollment** 638 Students

Principal Reggie W. Gasgue 843-358-3680

**Superintendent** Dr. Bobby Nalley, Acting 843–488–6700

Superintendent

**Board Chair** Will Garland 843–358–8002

### THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

# **2006**

# ANNUAL SCHOOL

## REPORT CARD

#### ABSOLUTE RATING

GOOD

Absolute Ratings of Elementary Schools with Students like Ours

Excellent Good Average Below Average Unsatisfactory

1 30 58 3 0

#### IMPROVEMENT RATING

GOOD

The school's Improvement rating was raised one level because of substantial improvement in the achievement of students belonging to historically underachieving groups of students.

#### ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS

YES

This school met 15 out of 15 objectives. The objectives included performance and participation of students in various groups.

Definition: As required by the United States Department of Education, Adequate Yearly Progress specifies that the statewide target is met for All Students and for the following subgroups: Racial/Ethnic, Subsidized Meals, Disability, and Limited English Proficiency.

#### SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE GOAL

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

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| PERFORMANCE TRENDS OVER 4-YEAR PERIOD |                 |                    |                          |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
|                                       | Absolute Rating | Improvement Rating | Adequate Yearly Progress |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2003                                  | Excellent       | Below Average      | No                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2004                                  | Excellent       | Good               | Yes                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2005                                  | Good            | Unsatisfactory     | No                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2006                                  | Good            | Good               | Yes                      |  |  |  |  |  |

#### DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

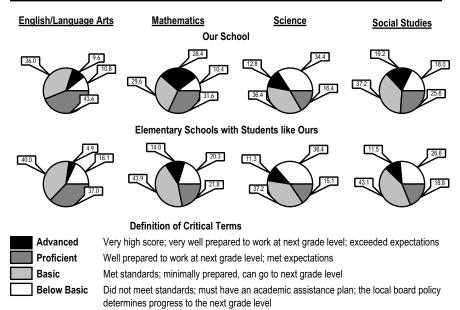
- Excellent School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- •Good School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Average School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Below Average School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Unsatisfactory School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal

#### PERCENT OF STUDENT PACT RECORDS MATCHED FOR PURPOSES OF COMPUTING IMPROVEMENT RATING

Percent of students tested in 2005-06 whose 2004-05 test scores were located.

95.9%

#### PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT)



| PACT PERFORMANCE BY GROUP      |                 |                    |                   |                 |                |                   |  |                          |   |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|---|
|                                | 754             | 6                  | % Below Basic     | <u> </u>        |                | . / 3             | % Proficient and Advanced              | <u>8</u>                 | i 3 i i   |
|                                | Enrollment 1st  | % Tested           | / &               | % Basic         | % Proficient   | % Advanced        | ]   ti ;                               | Performance<br>Objective | Participation<br>Objective Met  |
|                                | 1 # 5           | / 18               | %                 | / 8             | / å            | / §               | \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\ |                          | \$\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{2} \righta\right\right\right\right\right\right\right\right\right\right\rig |
|                                | ( E E           | / **               | / %<br>B          | / ``            | / %            | / %               | 18 g                                   | / a iğ                   | [4° 8° ]  |
|                                | / ~             | ,                  | /                 | /               |                |                   | ,                                      |                          |   |
| All Students                   | n/Langua<br>276 | ge Arts -<br>100.0 | State Per<br>10.7 | ormance<br>35.6 | Ubjective 43.1 | 2 = 38.2%<br>10.7 | 65.6                                   | Yes                      | Yes   |
|                                | 2/0             | 100.0              | 10.7              | 35.0            | 43.1           | 10.7              | 05.0                                   | res                      | res   |
| Gender                         | 440             | 100.0              | 44.0              | 27.0            | 44.5           | C 7               | F7.0                                   | NI/A                     | NI/A  |
| Male                           | 149<br>127      | 100.0              | 14.8<br>5.9       | 37.0<br>33.9    | 41.5<br>44.9   | 6.7               | 57.8                                   | N/A<br>N/A               | N/A<br>N/A  |
| Female                         | 127             | 100.0              | 5.9               | 33.9            | 44.9           | 15.3              | 74.6                                   | N/A                      | N/A   |
| Racial/Ethnic Group White      | 226             | 100.0              | 0.2               | 246             | 45.6           | 11.5              | 60.7                                   | Ves                      | Vac   |
|                                | 236             |                    | 8.3               | 34.6            |                | 11.5              | 68.7                                   | Yes                      | Yes   |
| African American               | 31              | 100.0              | 29.6              | 44.4            | 22.2           | 3.7               | 44.4                                   | I/S                      | I/S   |
| Asian/Pacific Islander         | 1               | 100.0              | I/S               | I/S             | I/S            | I/S               | I/S                                    | I/S                      | I/S   |
| Hispanic                       | 7               | 100.0              | I/S               | I/S             | I/S            | I/S               | I/S                                    | I/S                      | I/S   |
| American Indian/Alaskan        | N/A             | N/A                | N/A               | N/A             | N/A            | N/A               | N/A                                    | I/S                      | I/S   |
| Disability Status              |                 |                    |                   |                 |                |                   |  |                          |   |
| Not Disabled                   | 222             | 100.0              | 6.3               | 31.9            | 50.7           | 11.1              | 73.4                                   | N/A                      | N/A   |
| Disabled                       | 54              | 100.0              | 30.4              | 52.2            | 8.7            | 8.7               | 30.4                                   | I/S                      | Yes   |
| Migrant Status                 |                 |                    |                   |                 |                |                   |  |                          |   |
| Migrant                        | N/A             | N/A                | N/A               | N/A             | N/A            | N/A               | N/A                                    | N/A                      | N/A   |
| Non-Migrant                    | 276             | 100.0              | 10.7              | 35.6            | 43.1           | 10.7              | 65.6                                   | N/A                      | N/A   |
| English Proficiency            |                 |                    |                   |                 |                |                   |  |                          |   |
| Limited English Proficient     | 5               | 100.0              | I/S               | I/S             | I/S            | I/S               | I/S                                    | I/S                      | I/S   |
| Non-Limited English Proficient | 271             | 100.0              | 10.5              | 35.1            | 43.5           | 10.9              | 66.5                                   | N/A                      | N/A   |
| Socio-Economic Status          |                 |                    |                   |                 |                |                   | ,                                      |                          |   |
| Subsidized meals               | 156             | 100.0              | 14.0              | 44.1            | 38.2           | 3.7               | 55.9                                   | Yes                      | Yes   |
| Full-pay meals                 | 120             | 100.0              | 6.8               | 25.6            | 48.7           | 18.8              | 76.9                                   | N/A                      | N/A   |
|                                |                 |                    |                   |                 |                |                   |  |                          |   |

| M                              | Mathematics - State Performance Objective = 36.7% |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
|--------------------------------|---|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|
| All Students                   | 276   | 100.0 | 10.3 | 29.2 | 32.0 | 28.5 | 73.9 | Yes | Yes |
| Gender                         |   |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
| Male                           | 149   | 100.0 | 12.6 | 28.1 | 36.3 | 23.0 | 70.4 | N/A | N/A |
| Female                         | 127   | 100.0 | 7.6  | 30.5 | 27.1 | 34.7 | 78.0 | N/A | N/A |
| Racial/Ethnic Group            |   |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
| White                          | 236   | 100.0 | 7.4  | 30.9 | 30.4 | 31.3 | 76.5 | Yes | Yes |
| African American               | 31  | 100.0 | 37.0 | 22.2 | 33.3 | 7.4  | 44.4 | I/S | I/S |
| Asian/Pacific Islander         | 1   | 100.0 | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S | I/S |
| Hispanic                       | 7   | 100.0 | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S | I/S |
| American Indian/Alaskan        | N/A   | N/A   | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | I/S | I/S |
| Disability Status              |   |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
| Not Disabled                   | 222   | 100.0 | 3.9  | 26.6 | 36.2 | 33.3 | 84.5 | N/A | N/A |
| Disabled                       | 54  | 100.0 | 39.1 | 41.3 | 13.0 | 6.5  | 26.1 | I/S | Yes |
| Migrant Status                 |   |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
| Migrant                        | N/A   | N/A   | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A | N/A |
| Non-Migrant                    | 276   | 100.0 | 10.3 | 29.2 | 32.0 | 28.5 | 73.9 | N/A | N/A |
| English Proficiency            |   |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
| Limited English Proficient     | 5   | 100.0 | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S | I/S |
| Non-Limited English Proficient | 271   | 100.0 | 10.5 | 29.4 | 31.5 | 28.6 | 73.4 | N/A | N/A |
| Socio-Economic Status          |   |       |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |
| Subsidized meals               | 156   | 100.0 | 18.4 | 30.1 | 30.9 | 20.6 | 62.5 | Yes | Yes |
| Full-pay meals                 | 120   | 100.0 | 0.9  | 28.2 | 33.3 | 37.6 | 87.2 | N/A | N/A |

| PACT PERFORMANCE BY GRO                | UP                               |       |               |         |              |            |                              |
|--|----------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------|--------------|------------|------------------------------|
|  | Enrollment 1st<br>Day of Testing | ,     | % Below Basic | % Basic | % Proficient | % Advanced | % Proficient and<br>Advanced |
| All Students                           | 276                              | 100.0 | ience<br>34.0 | 36.0    | 16.6         | 13.4       | 30.0                         |
| Gender                                 | 2.0                              | 100.0 | 0 110         | 00.0    | 10.0         | 1011       | 00.0                         |
| Male                                   | 149                              | 100.0 | 35.6          | 34.1    | 16.3         | 14.1       | 30.4                         |
| Female                                 | 127                              | 100.0 | 32.2          | 38.1    | 16.9         | 12.7       | 29.7                         |
| Racial/Ethnic Group                    |                                  |       |               |         |              |            |                              |
| White                                  | 236                              | 100.0 | 30.9          | 35.9    | 18.9         | 14.3       | 33.2                         |
| African American                       | 31                               | 100.0 | 63.0          | 29.6    | 3.7          | 3.7        | 7.4                          |
| Asian/Pacific Islander                 | 1                                | 100.0 | I/S           | I/S     | I/S          | I/S        | I/S                          |
| Hispanic                               | 7                                | 100.0 | I/S           | I/S     | I/S          | I/S        | I/S                          |
| American Indian/Alaskan                | N/A                              | N/A   | N/A           | N/A     | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| Disability Status                      |                                  |       |               |         |              |            |                              |
| Not Disabled                           | 222                              | 100.0 | 26.6          | 40.1    | 18.8         | 14.5       | 33.3                         |
| Disabled                               | 54                               | 100.0 | 67.4          | 17.4    | 6.5          | 8.7        | 15.2                         |
| Migrant Status                         |                                  |       |               |         |              |            |                              |
| Migrant                                | N/A                              | N/A   | N/A           | N/A     | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| Non-Migrant                            | 276                              | 100.0 | 34.0          | 36.0    | 16.6         | 13.4       | 30.0                         |
| English Proficiency                    |                                  | 400.0 | 1/0           | 1/0     | 1/0          | 1.0        | 1/0                          |
| Limited English Proficient             | 5                                | 100.0 | I/S           | I/S     | I/S          | I/S        | I/S                          |
| Non-Limited English Proficient         | 271                              | 100.0 | 33.9          | 35.9    | 16.9         | 13.3       | 30.2                         |
| Socio-Economic Status Subsidized meals | 156                              | 100.0 | 41.9          | 33.8    | 13.2         | 11.0       | 24.3                         |
| Full-pay meals                         | 120                              | 100.0 | 24.8          | 38.5    | 20.5         | 16.2       | 36.8                         |
| i uli-pay ilicais                      | 1 120                            | 100.0 | 24.0          | 1 30.5  | 20.5         | 10.2       | JU.0                         |

| Social Studies                 |                     |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|--|--|--|
| All Students                   | 276                 | 100.0 | 17.8 | 37.2 | 25.3 | 19.8 | 45.1 |  |  |  |
| Gender                         |                     |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
| Male                           | 149                 | 100.0 | 18.5 | 37.0 | 26.7 | 17.8 | 44.4 |  |  |  |
| Female                         | 127                 | 100.0 | 16.9 | 37.3 | 23.7 | 22.0 | 45.8 |  |  |  |
| Racial/Ethnic Group            | Racial/Ethnic Group |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
| White                          | 236                 | 100.0 | 15.7 | 36.9 | 25.8 | 21.7 | 47.5 |  |  |  |
| African American               | 31                  | 100.0 | 40.7 | 33.3 | 22.2 | 3.7  | 25.9 |  |  |  |
| Asian/Pacific Islander         | 1                   | 100.0 | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  |  |  |  |
| Hispanic                       | 7                   | 100.0 | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  |  |  |  |
| American Indian/Alaskan        | N/A                 | N/A   | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  |  |  |  |
| Disability Status              | Disability Status   |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
| Not Disabled                   | 222                 | 100.0 | 10.6 | 38.6 | 29.0 | 21.7 | 50.7 |  |  |  |
| Disabled                       | 54                  | 100.0 | 50.0 | 30.4 | 8.7  | 10.9 | 19.6 |  |  |  |
| Migrant Status                 |                     |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
| Migrant                        | N/A                 | N/A   | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  | N/A  |  |  |  |
| Non-Migrant                    | 276                 | 100.0 | 17.8 | 37.2 | 25.3 | 19.8 | 45.1 |  |  |  |
| English Proficiency            |                     |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
| Limited English Proficient     | 5                   | 100.0 | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  | I/S  |  |  |  |
| Non-Limited English Proficient | 271                 | 100.0 | 18.1 | 36.7 | 25.4 | 19.8 | 45.2 |  |  |  |
| Socio-Economic Status          |                     |       |      |      |      |      |      |  |  |  |
| Subsidized meals               | 156                 | 100.0 | 25.7 | 38.2 | 22.1 | 14.0 | 36.0 |  |  |  |
| Full-pay meals                 | 120                 | 100.0 | 8.5  | 35.9 | 29.1 | 26.5 | 55.6 |  |  |  |

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|----------|------------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|------------|------------------------------|
|          | $G_{rade}$ | Enrollment 1≈<br>Day of Testing |                | % Below Basic | % Basic         | % Proficient | % Advanced | % Proficient and<br>Advanced |
|          | 0          |                                 |                | English/Lar   | iguage Arts     | F0.0         | 0.4        |                              |
| -        | 3<br>4     | 102<br>82                       | 100.0<br>100.0 | 9.5<br>17.6   | 23.2<br>51.4    | 58.9<br>24.3 | 8.4<br>6.8 | 67.4<br>31.1                 |
| 2        | 5          | 90                              | 100.0          | 14.6          | 42.7            | 40.2         | 2.4        | 42.7                         |
| ĕ        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| 67       | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 92                              | 100.0          | 7.1           | 19.0            | 56.0         | 17.9       | 73.8                         |
| 9        | 4          | 101                             | 100.0          | 11.7          | 40.4            | 44.7         | 3.2        | 47.9                         |
| <u>ĕ</u> | 5          | 83                              | 100.0          | 13.3          | 48.0            | 26.7         | 12.0       | 38.7                         |
| 2        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| -        | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 102                             | 100.0          | 11.6          | matics<br>41.1  | 32.6         | 14.7       | 47.4                         |
|          | 4          | 82                              | 100.0          | 25.7          | 20.3            | 33.8         | 20.3       | 54.1                         |
| 8        | 5          | 90                              | 100.0          | 8.5           | 41.5            | 20.7         | 29.3       | 50.0                         |
| 0        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 92                              | 100.0          | 7.1           | 22.6            | 41.7         | 28.6       | 70.2                         |
| .0       | 4          | 101                             | 100.0          | 5.3           | 27.7            | 33.0         | 34.0       | 67.0                         |
| ĕ        | 5          | 83                              | 100.0          | 20.0          | 38.7            | 20.0         | 21.3       | 41.3                         |
| _2_      | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| _        | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 102                             | 99.0           | Scie          |                 | 20.2         | L 6.4      | 26.6                         |
| -        | 4          | 82                              | 100.0          | 23.4<br>35.1  | 50.0<br>37.8    | 17.6         | 6.4<br>9.5 | 27.0                         |
| 8        | 5          | 90                              | 100.0          | 31.7          | 53.7            | 13.4         | 1.2        | 14.6                         |
| 0        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| ~        | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 92                              | 100.0          | 22.6          | 42.9            | 22.6         | 11.9       | 34.5                         |
| 9        | 4          | 101                             | 100.0          | 30.9          | 36.2            | 16.0         | 17.0       | 33.0                         |
| lo l     | 5          | 83                              | 100.0          | 50.7          | 28.0            | 10.7         | 10.7       | 21.3                         |
| 2        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| _        | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 102                             | 100.0          | 16.8          | Studies<br>61.1 | 16.8         | 5.3        | 22.1                         |
| -        | 4          | 82                              | 100.0          | 23.0          | 47.3            | 23.0         | 6.8        | 29.7                         |
| 8        | 5          | 89                              | 100.0          | 28.4          | 44.4            | 19.8         | 7.4        | 27.2                         |
| 2        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
| 100      | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 3          | 92                              | 100.0          | 8.3           | 27.4            | 40.5         | 23.8       | 64.3                         |
| 9        | 4          | 101                             | 100.0          | 16.0          | 37.2            | 25.5         | 21.3       | 46.8                         |
| 9        | 5          | 83                              | 100.0          | 30.7          | 48.0            | 8.0          | 13.3       | 21.3                         |
| 7        | 6          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 7          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |
|          | 8          | N/A                             | N/A            | N/A           | N/A             | N/A          | N/A        | N/A                          |

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|--|---------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| SCHOOL PROFILE   |               |                          |   |                                |
|  | Our<br>School | Change from<br>Last Year | Elementary<br>Schools<br>with Students<br>Like Ours | Median<br>Elementary<br>School |
| Students (n= 638)  |               |                          |   |                                |
| First graders who attended full-day kindergarten                                 | 100.0%        | No change                | 100.0%  | 100.0%                         |
| Retention rate   | 0.2%          | Up from 0.0%             | 2.7%  | 2.8%                           |
| Attendance rate  | 95.6%         | No change                | 96.3%   | 96.4%                          |
| Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level   | 0.0%          | No change                | 0.0%  | 0.0%                           |
| Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (Math) off grade level  | 0.0%          | No change                | 0.0%  | 0.0%                           |
| Eligible for gifted and talented   | 26.6%         | Down from 27.8%          | 11.3%   | 10.4%                          |
| On academic plans  | 32.2%         | N/AV                     | 35.8%   | 33.6%                          |
| On academic probation  | 0.0%          | N/AV                     | 1.3%  | 1.0%                           |
| With disabilities other than speech  | 8.4%          | Down from 11.3%          | 8.4%  | 7.5%                           |
| Older than usual for grade   | 0.0%          | No change                | 0.8%  | 0.8%                           |
| Out-of-school suspensions or<br>expulsions for violent &/or criminal<br>offenses | 0.0%          | No change                | 0.0%  | 0.0%                           |
| Teachers (n= 43)   |               |                          |   |                                |
| Teachers with advanced degrees   | 30.2%         | Down from 38.1%          | 53.2%   | 53.8%                          |
| Continuing contract teachers   | N/AV          |                          | N/AV  | N/AV                           |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers                                  | 0.0%          | N/A                      | 0.8%  | 2.4%                           |
| Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates                              | 2.8%          | Down from 7.7%           | 0.0%  | 0.0%                           |
| Teachers returning from previous year  | 82.7%         | Down from 84.9%          | 87.8%   | 87.3%                          |
| Teacher attendance rate  | 94.1%         | Up from 93.8%            | 94.7%   | 94.9%                          |
| Average teacher salary   | \$42,385      | Down 0.1%                | \$42,390  | \$42,485                       |
| Prof. development days/teacher   | 24.3 days     | Down from 32.6 days      | 14.0 days   | 13.3 days                      |
| School   |               |                          |   |                                |
| Principal's years at school  | 4.0           | No change                | 3.8   | 4.0                            |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects   | 23.1 to 1     | Up from 15.4 to 1        | 18.3 to 1   | 18.6 to 1                      |
| Prime instructional time   | 87.8%         | Down from 88.3%          | 89.6%   | 89.7%                          |
| Dollars spent per pupil*   | \$7,424       | Up 7.2%                  | \$6,364   | \$6,557                        |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries*                                    | 62.1%         | Down from 65.0%          | 63.2%   | 64.0%                          |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction*   | 68.0%         |                          | 68.0%   | 69.1%                          |
| Opportunities in the arts  | Good          | No change                | Good  | Good                           |
| Parents attending conferences  | 99.0%         | Down from 99.5%          | 99.0%   | 99.0%                          |
| SACS accreditation   | Yes           | No change                | Yes   | Yes                            |
| Character development  | Excellent     | No change                | Excellent   | Excellent                      |

<sup>\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data are reported.

|   |      | Our District |          | State              |
|---|------|--------------|----------|--------------------|
| Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teacher | ers  | 12.9%        | <u> </u> | 6.2%               |
| Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teach  | 9.0% |              | 10.2%    |                    |
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| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers in this school        |      | 0.0%         |          | Yes                |
| Student attendance in this school                                     |      | 94.0%*       |          | Yes                |

\*or greater than last year

#### REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The staff, students and parents of Aynor Elementary are committed to reaching high levels of achievement. In order to ensure success for every student, assessment data are examined throughout the year to monitor the progress and identify the needs of each student. An on-line assessment, Measures of Academic Progress (MAP), is used three times a year to indicate areas of strength and areas in need of attention in English Language Arts, reading and math. Teachers use the results of testing to make necessary adjustments in the curriculum and to form invitational groups for instruction, which are tailored to address the academic achievement level and needs of each student.

The South Carolina Education Oversight Committee recognized our school for the third year in a row for closing the achievement gap for low performing students. In order to reach this level of success, we treat each child as an individual. We provide varied opportunities for success through Reading Recovery, during the school day and after school tutorials, guidance, Student Study Team (SST) interventions, volunteer tutors, peer mediation and student/parent/teacher conferences. We offer various computer programs to assist with early literacy and math interventions. We provide math Team Time, an additional 40 minute math period daily in grades 2-5. Students are grouped for achievement during this math block. Our English Language Arts (ELA) focus is reading comprehension and written expression. We have implemented the Inclusion Model in our special education program in order to serve more of our students in the least restrictive classroom environment.

We continue to provide staff development in ELA through reading professional books and literature and attending workshops. Teachers have worked together to observe and analyze lessons taught by their peer teachers in order to strengthen instruction based on the observed needs of the students. In addition, our curriculum specialist and coaches plan and provide coaching, modeling and staff development for teachers.

Aynor Elementary School continues to be a "Wonderful Place to Grow" because of the love and commitment of our staff and community. Our community members join hands to create a nurturing environment for our children, an environment which fosters academic achievement.

Carolyn C. Floyd, Principal, 2005-06 Tony Godsey, School Improvement Council Chair

| EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS, STUDENTS, AND PARENTS         |          |           |          |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
|  | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
| Number of surveys returned                             | 40       | 67        | 69       |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment            | 82.1%    | 97.0%     | 92.6%    |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 100.0%   | 91.0%     | 94.1%    |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations           | 97.4%    | 95.5%     | 88.1%    |

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.